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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of )

Terry E. Thomas, Carrie Peters,  
Peter Lansdorp )

Serial No. 09/822,823 )

I.A. Filing Date: April 2, 2001 )

For: Method For Separating Cells  
Using Immunorosettes )

Group Art Unit: 1641

Examiner: N/A

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Dear Sir:

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING REQUIREMENTS**

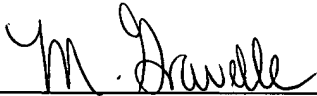
In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.53, Applicants hereby submit an executed Declaration for Patent Application of inventors **TERRY E. THOMAS, CARRIE PETERS and PETER LANSDORP** along with the Notification of Missing Requirements, mailed May 8, 2001.

The government fee of \$420 is included in our cheque No. . This fee is made up of the surcharge of \$65.00 (small entity), and the filing fee of \$355.00 (small entity). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in fee or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 02-2095. This letter is enclosed in duplicate. Applicants claim small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27.

If any other fee is due, including a fee for an extension of time, such an extension is hereby requested and the Commissioner is authorized to charge any such fee to Deposit Account No. 02-2095.

Respectfully submitted,

**Terry E. Thomas, Carrie Peters,  
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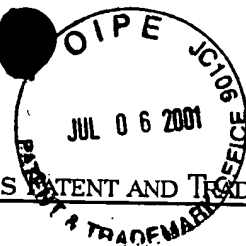
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 355 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 420.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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